THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) While countries like Australia, Canada, USA, Sweden, Denmark, Jordan, Singapore, Saudi Arabia, Norway, Greece, Bangladesh have preferred to withdraw Analgin, a pain killer, the drug continues to be marketed in many other countries including India. The drug is official in Indian Pharmacopoeia and U.S.S.R. Pharmacopoeia. Other Non-narcotic pain killers, namely, Paracetamol, Aspirin, Ibuprofen being marketed in India are not banned in other countries.

(d) The drug Analgin was reported to be withdrawn in some countries on the assumption that it causes extra risk of bone marrow disorders.

Indian Armed Personnel killed in Sri Lanka

808. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:
SHRI T. R. BALU:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of Indian armed personnel who have so far died in Sri Lanka;

(b) the amount of compensation paid by Government to the next of kin of those killed in this regard to far; and

(c) the number of Sri Lankan citizen who died in encounter with Indian army so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI CHINTAMANI [illegible]
IPKF personnel had been killed in Sri Lanka [illegible] on 20th February, 1989.

(b) [illegible]nts made to the families of the deceased IPKF personnel so far are as follows:

(i) Liberalised pensionary award as applicable to war battle casualties—Rs. 1.67 crores.

(ii) Army Group Insurance benefits-Rs. 6.72 crores.

(iii) Army Officers Benevolent Fund —Rs. 4.64 lakhs.

(iv) Army Wives Welfare Association—Rs. 7.22 lakhs.

(c) In an operation of this kind it is not po[illegible] the number of militants [illegible]

Setting up of Kudankulam Atomic Power Plant

809. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:
SHRI T. R. BALU:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what was the earlier limit "excluded safety" zone of Kudankulam Atomic Energy Plant;

(b) whether it has since been expended, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any land was acquired for this purpose;

(d) if so, whether there is any proposal to acquire more land for this purpose; and

(e) whether any representation has since been received in this regard; if so, what is its content and action taken thereon?

THE MINI[illegible]STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) An exclusion zone of 1.6 KM radius around